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Abramson-Kaufman Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. William Kaufman, of New Haven, Conn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Gladys, to Harvey S. Abramson, son of Jack Abramson, of this city.

The bridegroom-elect is an employee of National Home Appliance Store.

No wedding date has been set.

AT COUNCIL MEETING

Representing Halldale Elementary P.T.A. at Lomita-San Pedro Council meeting were Mesdames E. M. Bernardin, John Garper, H. T. Seaman, Charles Humphrey, M. Burton and Don Wolf. Featured speaker was Mrs. Myra Allen.

Catholic Daughters Report Attendance At State Conclave

Representing Court St. Catherine No. 1378, Catholic Daughters of America, at the California state CDA convention held last week in Pasadena, were Grand Regent Mrs. Frances F. Forester, official delegate and Mrs. Lillian Schott, vice regent, alternate.

Highlight of the silver jubilee banquet held in Huntington Hotel was the presentation of His Excellency J. Francis A. McIntyre, D.D. as guest speaker.

Initiation was held on the opening night with grand regents acting as the degree staff. Other honored guests included Mrs. Emma J. McIntosh, state regent and national director, and Mrs. John J. Waldron, grand regent of Court, Pasadena, who served as toastmistress. Seventy-nine courts and 19 junior courts were represented.

In addition to the delegates, other members of Court St. Catherine attending the banquet were the Misses Rosa and Katherine Ortman.

BUDDY POPPIES
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QUEEN CONTESTANTS, HOSTESS . . . Pictured are the four queen contestants for the title of "Miss Torrance of 1948" as they went "hand over hand" to decide which of them would throw in the first ball to open the 1948 Niteball National League season at Torrance city park Tuesday, May 4. Shown are, left to right, Beverly Crook, Marie Kelton, Mrs. R. F. Cuttle, wife of the sponsor of the Torrance Scuttlers; Donna Mauk and Mary Ellen Crawford.

Womens Activities

By MARY VONDERAHE

Election Of New Officers Precedes Lovely Program

Mrs. W. I. Laughon, charming wife of Dr. W. I. Laughon, was reelected to the office of president of Torrance Woman's Club at the regular meeting held Wednesday afternoon in the clubhouse.

Other officers elected to assist Mrs. Laughon during the ensuing year are:

Mesdames L. N. Gill, R. E. Olsen and Fred E. Cooper, vice presidents; Dgan L. Sears, recording secretary; C. M. Crook, corresponding secretary; S. V. Rauss, Federation secretary; R. J. Rogers, treasurer; George Sutton, auditor; E. A. Miles, parliamentary; B. C. Buxton, reservation chairman; B. T. Whitney, ways and means chairman; W. F. Bartholomew, year book chairman.

"Night and Day" by Cole Porter, which was thoroughly applauded by the audience. Immediately following the duo-piano group, Geraldine Faren, a young pianist of musicianship and ability was warmly received for a fine and artistic performance of "Golliwog Cake Walk" by Debussy, "Waltz in F Flat" by Chopin and "Song of the East" by Scott.

Closing this entertaining and interesting program were the duo-piano team Beverly Luster of Torrance and Eldridge Walker of Lomita. Brilliantly performed was the "Polonaise in A Flat" by Chopin, followed by the beloved "Ave Maria" by Bach-Gounod, which these young pianists played in a most inspired manner, closing their group with one of the most outstanding and brilliant performances of the "Malaguena" by Leguona-Nash.

FAIR PRIZES RICHER

Cash awards in the California State Fair Art Show, September at Sacramento, will number 155 and total \$12,500 as against last year's total 69 and \$3500.

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Frances Buckley To Make Official Visit To Chapter

Torrance Chapter No. 380, Order of the Eastern Star, will be honored next Thursday evening, May 20, by the official visit of Frances Buckley, deputy grand matron of the 76th OES district. Chairman for the evening will be Vivian Cook.

Barbara Stout Is Contest Winner At Fern PTA Carnival

Barbara Stout, sixth grade student at Fern Avenue school received the most votes at the spring carnival and was crowned queen at the barn dance held last Friday, evening at the school. Eva Morang placed second in the contest with all the entrants running a close race.

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The entire carnival was a good success. Everyone had a good time, spending money freely and obtaining full value in fun and material gain.

The baseball and bean bag throwing games brought out much hidden skill among the children, who also enjoyed the fish pond and the other games. Bales of hay, saddles and bridles were used as barn dance decorations. Square dancing and the Virginia Reel were features of the enjoyable party.

PLAYGROUND LEASED

Taking into consideration the possibility that the Board of Education may desire to build on the Fern Avenue School annex if the proposed School Bonds pass, the board leased the playground to the city recreation department for another year on a thirty day cancellation clause.

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